

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
CHARLOTTE DIVISION  
CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:18-CV-00070-GCM**

**ROSA GIL  
DANTE GIL  
ADA ARGUETA,**

**Plaintiffs,**

**v.**

**LEANDER HOLSTON  
KIRSTJEN NIELSEN  
FRANCIS CISSNA,**

**Defendants.**

**HEARING OUTLINE**

**THIS MATTER CAME** before this Court for hearing on April 2, 2019. For the reasons stated in open court, Plaintiffs' Petition for Review of the Denial of Naturalization is **DENIED**. Defendants are ordered to allow Plaintiffs to refile for lawful permanent resident ("LPR") status under 8 U.S.C. §1255(i). Plaintiffs have thirty (30) days from entry of this Order in which to file the required paperwork and fee. Finally, the United States Citizenship and Immigration Service cannot deny the application only on the basis that the Plaintiffs already have LPR status.

**SO ORDERED.**

Signed: April 2, 2019



Graham C. Mullen  
United States District Judge

